

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of: **Yoshiharu KURODA, et al.**

Serial Number: **08/942,415**

Group Art Unit: **2622**

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Examiner: **M. Wallerson**

For: **IMAGE RECORDING DEVICE**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: July 31, 2001

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response from the filing of the Notice of Appeal on May 3, 2001 for one month from July 3, 2001 to August 3, 2001.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge FOUR HUNDRED TWENTY DOLLARS (\$420.00), which includes the \$310.00 fee for filing a Brief on Appeal and \$110.00 fee for a one-month extension of time, to our Deposit Account No. 01-2340, as well as any other fees required by the PTO to make this complete and timely filing, if any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340. Two copies of this paper are enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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